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In the Claims:

~~Please cancel claims 23-24, without prejudice.~~

~~Please add the following new claims.~~

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35. (New) A split personal computer system for selectively processing video portions, input/output portions, computational portions and storage portions of personal computer tasks, comprising:
a remote portion adapted to selectively perform the computational portions and the storage portions of the personal computer tasks, the remote portion comprising;
a plurality of remote computer units; and
a remote system controller means for networking and controlling the remote computer units, the remote system controller means including means for receiving a remote logon command from the accessory unit and for checking the validity of the remote logon command, the remote system controller means allowing connection to at least one of the remote computer units if the remote logon command is valid and

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prohibiting connection if the particular remote logon command is not valid;

a local portion remotely located with respect to the remote portion and adapted to selectively perform the video portions and the input/output portions of the personal computer tasks, the local portion comprising:

a display unit located remotely from the remote portion of the split personal computer system;

an accessory unit in communication with the display unit, the accessory unit outputting video signals to the display unit so as to perform video and output portions of the personal computer tasks;

an input unit in communication with the accessory unit to input data signals into the accessory unit for performing input portions of the personal computer tasks;

communication means for interfacing the accessory unit with the remote portion of the split personal computer system for permitting data signals received by the accessory unit from the input unit to be transmittable from the accessory unit to the remote portion of the split personal computer system, the data signals being processable by the remote portion of the split personal